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DON Planning, Programming, and Budgeting System (PPBS) Business Process Review

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Purpose

- **Provide overview of ongoing PPBS Business Process Review being performed as part of DON HQ FYDP Improvement project**

- **Solicit feedback on PPBS process and potential improvements from claimant perspective**

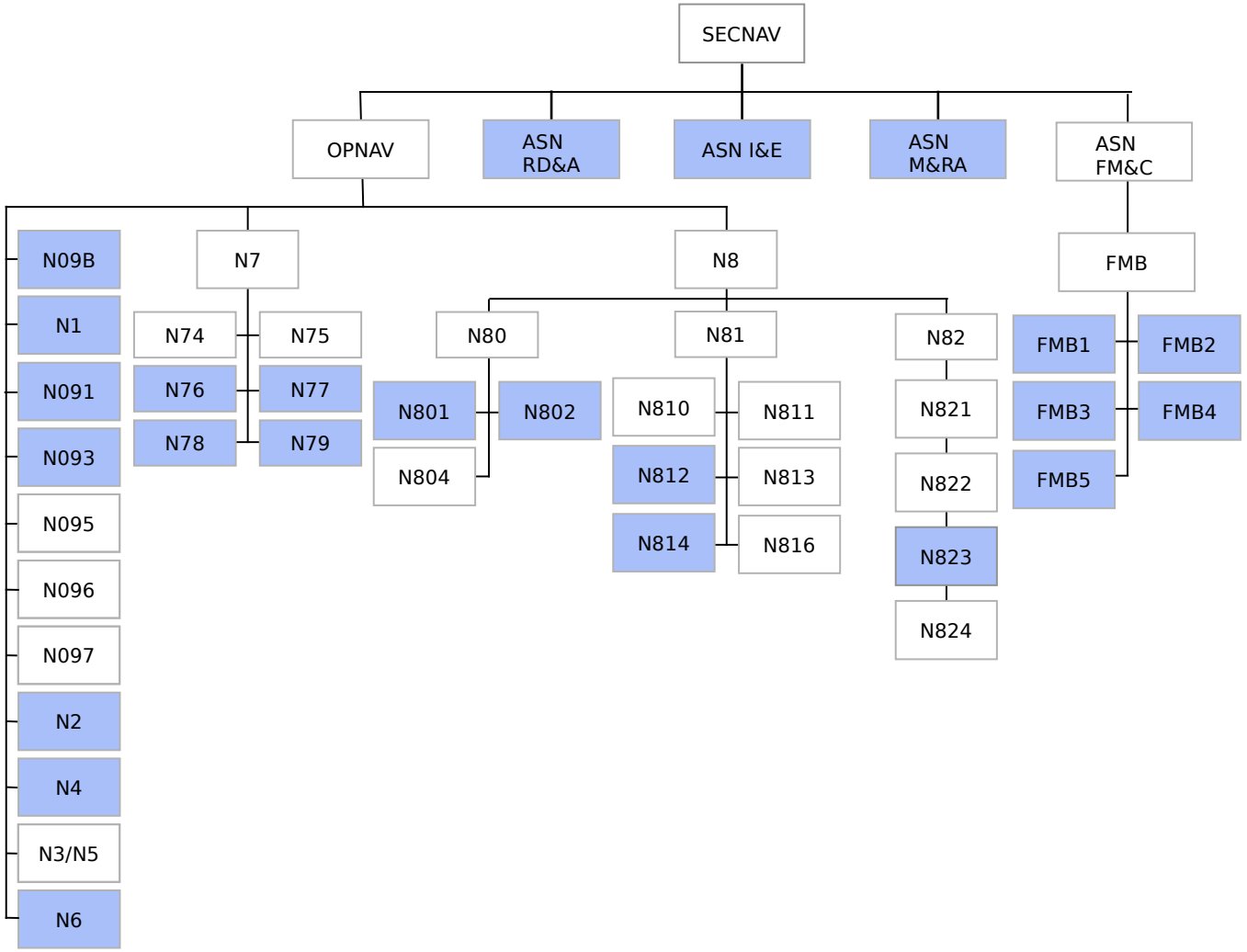
Background

- **DON FYDP Improvement Project**
  - DOD directed project to examine DON PPBS process and recommend constructive changes to reduce workload, improve data management and increase analytical capability
  - Comprised of 3 initiatives:
    - PBIS (Programming and Budgeting Information System) development
      - Replace WINPAT (programming) and NBTS (budgeting) systems
    - PE (Program Element) Restructuring
      - Better align PEs with Budget Line Items
    - Business Process Review and Analysis
      - Develop PPBS process related improvements

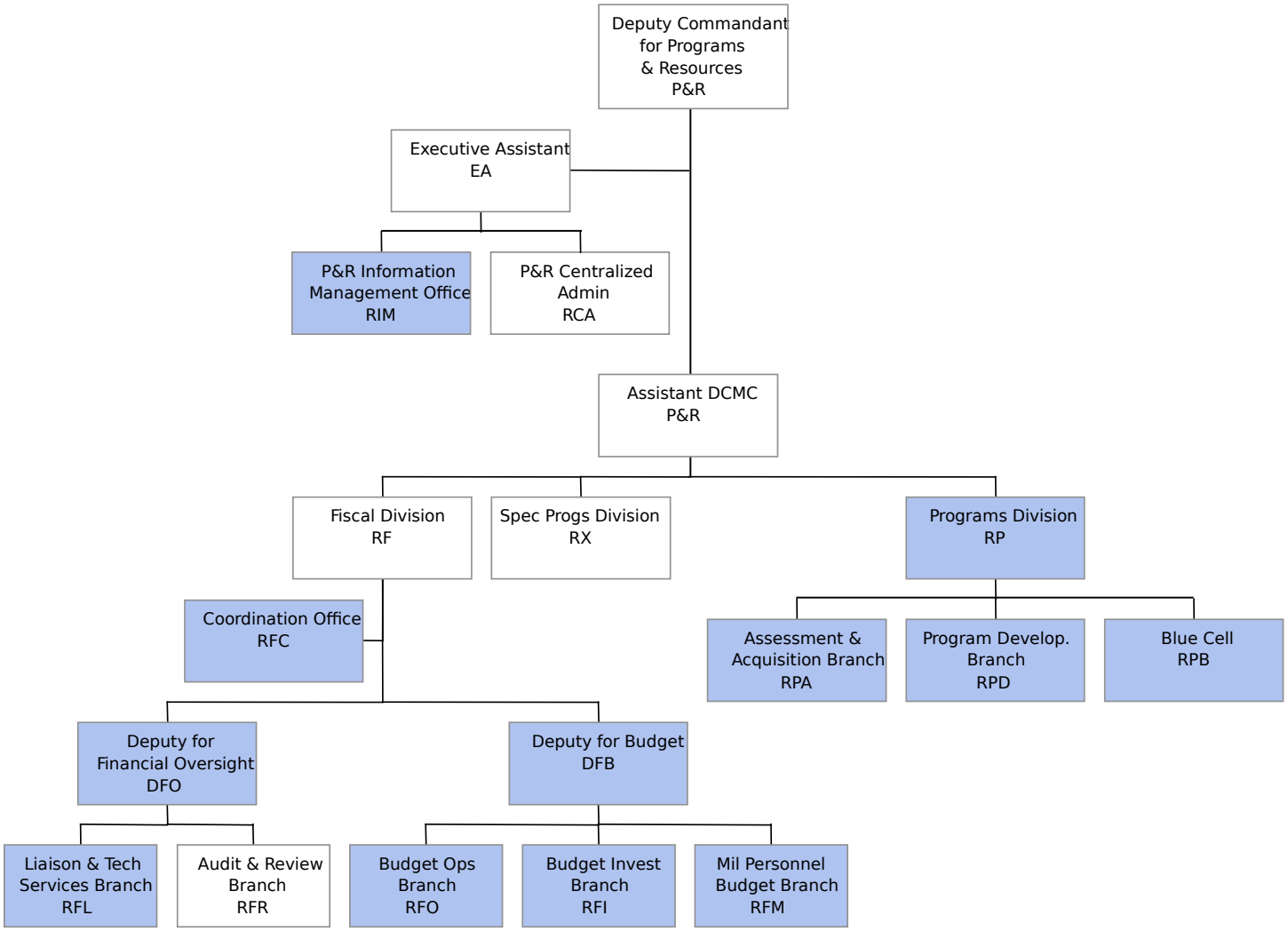
Business Process Review Efforts

- **PPBS As-Is process model development**
  - Top-down approach
  - Based on IDEF0 methodology
  - Over 100 Subject Matter Experts contacted
  - Over 50 working group meetings conducted
- **Information system architecture mapping**
  - High-level mapping of HQ PPBS information systems and interfaces
- **Functional Audit of WINPAT and NBTS systems**
  - Detailed matrix of system functionality
- **Catalogue of performance improvement opportunities**
  - Derived from model development, SMEs, and functional audit

As-Is Scope (Who we've talked to)



As-Is Scope (USMC)



As-Is Process Observations

- **Business Process Review and Analysis resulted in:**
  - 43 specific performance improvement observations
- **Observations assessed by Importance and Feasibility**
  - Importance / Feasibility Matrix
  - Result = 19 specific observations assessed as having relatively high Importance and Feasibility
- **19 Observations further refined down to 7 Focus Areas**
  - Based on SES level steering committee review

Performance Improvement Focus Areas

1. **OSD/External PPBS Reporting**
   - Time consuming; inconsistent sources
2. **Information Sharing Across PPBS phases**
   - Reluctance to share information; stovepiped organizations
3. **Audit Trails Within PPBS process**
   - Localized information systems and processes
4. **Data Comparison Across PPBS**
   - Inability to track common data; PE – Line item disconnect
5. **Performance Measurement**
   - Strategy to Budget disconnects; GPRA implications
6. **Manpower Programming and Budgeting**
   - Information contained in multiple systems; manual data manipulation
7. **Timing Disconnects**
   - Process takes too long; 18 months from Planning to Budget

Next Steps

- **Solicit input from Budget Submitting Offices (claimants) and other PPBS stakeholders**
- **Develop performance improvement alternatives**
  - Leverage PBIS development and PE restructuring
  - Examine concurrent Programming and Budgeting
  - Include BSO perspective and input
- **Validate alternatives**
- **Implement performance improvement solutions**